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THE FOLLOWING IS FROM THE CIA/  
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1. FURTHER ANALYSIS OF PHOTO COVERAGE OF WU-CHANG  
SHIPYARD, WU-CHANG CHINA (30 32N-114 17E) REVEALS THAT SUBMARINE  
CONSTRUCTION, PROBABLY "W" CLASS, IS UNDERWAY AT THIS SHIPYARD.

2. COVERAGE REVEALS ONE PROBABLE  
"W" CLASS SS AND ONE U/I VESSEL UNDER PORTABLE WEATHER SHEDS ON  
BUILDING WAYS. A PROBABLE "W" CLASS SAIL (LENGTH OVER ALL  
APPROX. 35 FT. AT DECKLINE) IS VISIBLE BETWEEN WEATHER SHEDS ON  
ONE OF THE TWO VESSELS UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

THE BOW AND STERN OF BOTH VESSELS ARE HIDDEN BY WEATHER  
SHEDS, PRECLUDING A LENGTH OVERALL (LOA) MEASUREMENT OF EITHER  
VESSEL. THE OVERALL LENGTH OF THE SHEDS OVER EACH WAY DOES NOT  
EXCEED APPROXIMATELY 270 FT. NO SUBMARINES WERE NOTED AT FITTING  
OUT AREA.

3. ALL MENSURATION PERFORMED BY PID PERSONNEL.

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